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1. Chief, Security Staff, O/CI, made a thorough survey, at our request, of our security problem here. His recommendations will be forthcoming shortly.

2. Attended Professional Selection Panel meeting. Five cases were considered. One approved with the proviso that it be reviewed before the end of the employee's trial period; the other four rejected as unsuitable for Agency employment.

of Requirements Staff. DD/P the purpose of the luncheon being to discuss a staff study is sponsoring regarding the appointment, in the Agency, of an "Idea Officer." This Officer will consider suggestions made by Agency personnel for the use of procedures, gadgets; etc., in carrying out the Agency mission (this is not to be confused with a 25X1A9a "suggestion box"). As a result of our discussion, offered to take this matter up with a Acting Inspector General, in that we felt that the Idea Officer should be placed in a central office with considerable stature so as to be available to the entire Agency.

4. Mr. Amory called, endeavoring to locate a State Department report, known as the Harary report, which had been loaned to DD/I and, in turn, by him to DD/P. This report was located by Mr. Amory's representative.

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